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Ms. Carol Hanlon
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Dear Ms. Hanlon:

I am writing to ask that the Department of Energy recommend to President George Bush that the site at Yucca Mountain, Nevada be designated the national repository for high-level radioactive waste and spent fuel.

The commercial nuclear industry will be providing abundant electric energy to this Nation for decades to come. The byproducts from the production of this copious supply however, must not be ignored. Stashing it away at nuclear generating sites is not an answer, it's procrastination.

I urge the Department of Energy to make the above recommendation and close a long outstanding issue.

Sincerely,

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